IN DUEL WITH AUTO

Police Seek Wounded Robber

Following Battle Near

Fifth Avenue.

in Bellevus Hospital with an even

chance for life after being shot in the

of Dr. McCall Anderson from in

Street. The robbers escaped in the

every detective in the city on the

whom Fitzgerald had a nine or ten

shot battle with revolvers, was al-

bedside this morning. Cray re-

fused to tell how complete a descrip-

tion he had of the men, who had been

under Fitzputrick's suspicious obser-

attempted to make them prisoners.

night under suspicion and two more

downtown Italian district, were taken

The battle in West 55th Street

last night, was witnessed by scores

of persons, including many guests of

aroused the occupants of some of

New York's most prominent resi-

Street are homes of the two John D.

Rockefellers, and the buttle was with-

in sight of the residences of Mrs.

Robert Warwick, James Yearance,

Dr. William A. Chisholm, and Will-

Immediately after the shooting

telephone message to the East 51st

Street Station advised the police to look for one of the thieves at "No. 311 Broome Street." Detective McKet-trick found this was the office of a

witnesses realized what they were do

ing.
Detective Fitzpatrick, thirty-seven years old, is single and lives at No. 155 East 48th Street with a sister, Miss Ellen Fitzpatrick.

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iam M. Ivins jr.

to headquarters to be questioned.

car, one of them wounded.

The order of the Interstate Commarce Commission will "materially help the situation," J. J. Mantell,

belp the situation," J. J. Mantell, Chairman of the Railway General Managura Association, announced her to-day. He said the railroads were hastening to comply with the new car rules.

"We have had this plan in mind for come time," he added, "and now that the order is haued, we are going to make the best of it. The railroads will make every effort to co-operate."

Mr. Mantell believed the new plan Mr. Mantell believed the new plan would bring relief for New York and whinity, where the blockade is most

U. S. OFFICIALS SEE CONTINUED CUTS IN LIVING COSTS

Secretary Houston Tells of Reasons for Falling Off in Prices.

WASHINGTON, May 11.-Further provement in price conditions over country is predicted by high Covernment officials. The increasing dency toward price cutting now finns has been passed and that fur-Clier recessions will follow.

to obtain accommodations,

sunted to a value of \$135,000,000, HOW THE CONSUMPTION OF countered his former associate, Will-This falling off in attributed directly te congested railroad and port conaftions but otherwise a decrease in

Head of Large Chicago House Declares Present Movement Is "the Real Thing."

CHICAGO, May 21.—Decreases in usl ate one-third less there would prices were predicted here to-day be any trouble about the price." olesale grocers. There have n no decreases in grocery prices as the wholesalers declared, but they it is bound to come. Packers declare meat prices are decreasing

Beveral million tons of sugar are he- year.

Trend to Cut Food Prices Is Seen at Ennana City.

KANPAS CITY, May 21.—No hori-sontal decline in commodities has taken place here and none is looked for. There are numerous reductions, are tempted to cat candy with their mused, merchants say, more by the luncheons.

The Government used to be able to

backward season than pressure by banks. Sales of dress and dry goods, particularly in women's ready to wear suits and shoes, range from 10 to 25 per cent, in reductions.

Kansas City is a primary market only in grain and cereal products and meats. The shortage of cars has thed up incoming grain and left country elevators full of wheal at time when all should be empty and ready for harvest, less than sixty days away. Banks here hold millions that cannot be liquidated without cars. That amount ties up money needed in other lines, and acceps wheat and flour prices higher than normal conditions would warrant.

Meat is the same way. Live total country got along just as a face of the money needed in other lines, and acceps wheat and flour prices higher than normal conditions would warrant.

Meat is the same way. Live total

recall that the world and the United Brane Court of the United States. It States particularly got along just as well, and perhaps better, in the thirty ever, that he was depending with the same running only about 70 per cent. Demand is light, but apace which are lower than 1918 would be lower tailed preduction, and prices which are lower than 1918 would be lower still if stock could be brought in.

1854, FOOD TONES

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INORDINATE USE SHOWS WHY PRICE HEAD, NOT FINGERS, OF SUGAR SOARS

tion of 93 Pounds Last Year, Says Secretary Houston.

IT WAS ONLY 18 IN 1865.

If Consumption was Decreased One-Third, Says Secretary, Prices Would Drop.

By David Lawrence,

seen in every part of the Nation is right, 1930) .- If the American people could solve the combination of a cafe weed as fairly positive indication want to bring down the price of by the sensitiveness of his fingers to that the creet of abnormal condi-sugar they have a very simple rem- the vibrations of the safe-knob, edy available, David Franklin Hous- told them. "Look at my mitte" (he song the pricipal reasons for the ton, Secretary of the Treasury. who held out his hands). "They're a longon advanced by Scoretary used to be Secretary of Agriculture, shoreman's hands not a Jimmy Valton are the failure of many mer- and who is just now trying to excit entine's." chants to obtain accommodations, the influence of the Treasury De-die to a tightening of financial cone to a tightening of financial contions throughout the country, and
a psychological effect following the
ganisation of large numbers of citius into groups hostile to profiteers.

Train to dismiss the indictment on
the ground that an agreement had
down the cost of living, is the author
of the suggestion that the best way
against Armstrong would be disto handle the sugar question is to
missed if he aided in the recovery late arrival of spring in many point out some salient facts about of the stolen securities. tions also is given as a cause for sugar consumption that will probably Assistant District Attorney Dooling failure of merchants to dispose be amazing to the average house objected to the statement and by holder.

servi improvement throughout the to the amount of sugar folks used to journed. To-day's proceedings grew try is not to be considered est ten and fifteen years ago?" re-out of the robery of the safe in the cally, but rather as an indication marked Secretary Houston to the offices of the Australian Commission better world conditions. What is writer as he took from the shelf in at No. 61 Broadway, Jan by 28. There misted to help the domestic situ- his office a thick volume called "The are indictments for other robbaries ation to some extent is the falling off Statistical Abstract of the United pending against Armstrong. exports, which for April, 12%, States," and opened it to page 161.

SUGAR HAS INCREASED.

the figures were based on reports for the period between March 15 and April 15. It is since the latter date that the general price outling the general price outling the sugar we take with the general price outling the general price outling the sugar we take with the general price outling the combinations.

When La Guardia introduced a resolution directing the Comptroller through 55th Street on his way to the station when he saw the three men list of unpaid claims against the board of Education, including sick and of Education, including sick building Baraclough gave the above.

themselves. We could get along and thieves who used dynamite and nitro. from pounding the gavel, Craig be just as healthy as people have glycerine. consumed less sugar. If each individual ate one-third less there wouldn't

Indeed, Secretary Houston emphasized that it was to a large extent outside the home-in the restaurants, cafes, sods fountains and pastry shops—where the consumption of Henry Sprague, head of Sprague, eugar had risen, although the extravarient, use of pies and other sweets in the home was by no means a small factor in the ninety-three nds per capita consumption last

Nobody, on the other hand, excuses

Of course, in many cities like New York, the acredy shop and soda foun-

ARMSTRONG USED TO OPEN SAFES.

Average Per Capita Consump- "Mitts Like a Longshoreman's, Nat a Jimmy Valentine's," He Says.

Richard Armetrong, organizer of a band of youthful thieves of brokemage firms, was arraigned before Judge Crain in General Semions to plead to a charge of burglary in the third degree to-day, after he had pleaded guilty yesterday before Judge Roslasky to another theft amounting to \$143,000. (Special Correspondent of The Eve- Armstrong swaggered into court and ning World.) jeered the detectives for calling him jeered the detectives for calling him WASHINGTON, May 21 (Copy- a "Jimmy Valentine" or a man who

"I use my head, not my fingers," he

Armstrong's lawyer asked Judge

agreement with S. S. Liebowits for cretary Houston said that the "Did you over look over the data as Armstrong, the pleading was ad-

As he left the court Armstrong eniam Baraclough, being brought in to Down the page of figures is the plead to the same charges. What average amount that was consumed the two said to each other was unfit esports would be viewed as a sign of by every individual in the United to print. Baraclough was transferred healthy world conditions. It States since 1865. In that year, disome time ago from the Tombs where ald indicate that European na- viding the total amount consumed by the other ten men involved in the

used to get along on less and if we offices. He learned where valuables

"We had no record of the combinabeen for the last forty years if we tion of our safe," a member of the

that's all he knew about his own office. I found the combination on a card in the top drawer of the desk pext to the safe."

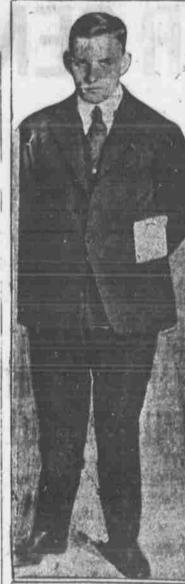
Detective Sergeant Irving O'Hars Mayor Hylan's brother-in-law, who investigated the crime, learned to-day

a large profit and that was but \$80,000 and not \$143,000, Baraclough said. Just before the Deering robbery the two men married girls who were cousins and promptly began quarreling. Armstrong, his former partner said, had knocked Baraclough down and taken from him all the securities stolen from the Deering safe and afterward doled out \$800 to him as his share. Baraclough said it would take him six months to remember all the offices they had robbed.

NEWBERRY RETAINS HUGHES

WASHINGTON, May 21.—Charles E. Hughes has been retained by Senator Truman II. Newberry to present his recollections just a triffe they will appeal from his conviction, to the Surrecall that the world and the United preme Court of the United States. It

'JIMMY VALENTINE"
ARMSTRONG TELLS OF \$1,200,000 LOOT



RICHARD ARMSTRONG

WEEKLY KILKENNY CAT FIGHT STAGED

Ten years more and the per capita consumption was \$4 pounds. In 1887 to take index numbers of wholes are the United States for the Whenever to name the Internation of the United States for the Whole or the Amounts vary between 70 and 80 punds; in the year 1918, when the Yood Administration was urging consumption was free product of the Whole crowd, was furnished with counsel, Abraham Horowitz, by Judge Crain and on Horowitz's advice pleaded guilty. Sentence was proceed at these meetings in an orderly way. We've stood for your whims long enough. I for one will not stand for them any longer, You want to bose everything. What would be a tiles increased more than liper o. A. which was the largest crossage of increase for any month over that of April, 1917, when the large consumption. We

When La Guardia introduced a quarters.

Detective Fitzpatrick was going The figures were based on reports for the period between March 15 and the general price cutting tenders of the period between March 15 and the general price cutting tenders of the period between March 15 and the general price cutting tenders of the period between March 15 and the general price cutting tenders of the sugar we take with our coffee or with cereals that counts out coffee or with cereals that counts of the there were working and sat at the thieves left in using the combinations. It is not at the breaded to guardia sick fonds. Craig objected. He said that the said on that the thieves is fully passed the said that the thieves is fully passed the said that the discounts out of the cereals that counts and that the thieves is fully passed the said that the defendance is few doors from Dr. Anderson's fond that the detection, including sick funds. Craig objected. He said that the deventage is few doors from Dr. Anderson's fond that the automobile, which they doors from Dr.

You can make as much noise as "We had no record of the combination of our safe," a member of the firm of our safe," a member of the firm of Deering & Derring, which was robbed by the gang, told Judge Rosalsky yesterday.

"They must have opened it by sar."

"Poor boob," said Armst. ing to- y.

"Poor boob," said Armst. ing to- y.

INSURANCE MAN'S SALARY \$161,000

President of Broker Firm Doesn't

beveral million tons of sugar are height in Chicago for speculation.

Nobody, on the other hand, excuses the profiteer who has taken advantage of the demand for sugar to raise prices. But if the demand had not satisfied the present movement is "the profiteers would never have has been no change in prices."

We prepare our prices six months to day. "Right now we are preparing prices for this fall. They will be lower. "Pricos have been too high," he said in commenting on the situation. Goods which he deglared would be lower this fall will include clothing and furniture.

Of course, in many cities like New Appellance of the fall of the suit of the s tell all he knew "about that cheap rat."

According to Dooling, Baraclough said he and Armstrong and men they selected as associates entered from fifty to a hundred offices while they were operating together. The Deering robbery was the only one showing a large profit and that was but \$90,800 and not \$142,000, Baraclough said. Just before the Deering robbery the two men married girls who were consists and newbully began quarrel-consists and newbully began quarrel-

3,060,000 POUNDS OF SUGAR LOST IN 51 FREIGHT CARS

Shifted Around on Side Tracks for Weeks and Finally Disappears.

CHICAGO, May 21 .- Fifty-one freight cars loaded with 8,060,000 pounds of sugar are being sought in the railroad yards here by Foderal agents.

It is said the sugar has been shifted around on side tracks for two weeks and, according to information in the hands of District Attorney Charles F. Clyne, no attempt has been made to unload the cars. Sugar is being sold at 31 cents a pound retail.

JOHN FITZPATRICK, BASEBALL CHIEFS SHOT BY THIEVES



JOHN E FITZBATRICK

vation for twenty minutes before he SCRANTON BARMEN, OVERWORKED, NOW One man was arrested into iss THREATEN STRIKE caught in a Turkish bath in the

Town "Wide Open," Does Huge Liquor Trade; Motorists

near Fifth Avenue, about 10.45 o'clock Flock to the Oasis, SCRANTON, Pa., May 21. TH about 200 botels selling the Hotel St. Regia, the Hotel Gothliquor and beer openly am and the Devon Hotel. The shots seven days a week, bartenders here are threatening to strike for shorter hours and dences. Around the corner in 54th higher pay.

Browerles are doing more bustness than ever before, with a constant influx of liquor shoppers, some of them coming from as far away as Detroit.

Scrunton claims to be the most wide-open town between Havana and Tokio.

Motorists come here from New York, Philadelphia, Detroit, Buf-falo and scores of other cities to

PEACE RESOLUTION PASSED BY HOUSE

Adopted in Form It Went Through Senate and Now Goes to President.

WASHINGTON, May 21 .- The Republican peace resolution was adopted to-day by the House in the same form as it passed the Senate and now goes to the President.

There was only a short debate Representative Flood complained that he Republicans -cought to "lam through" the measure, and asked for an additional hour of debate. Chairman Porter refused to grant longer dis-

general strike called by the proprietors obnoxious laws as a weapon to compatrick asked if any one in the crowd knew to whom the automobile still standing just back of him belonged. pel the Sente to desist from its efforts to omerize the treaty of peace.

COMMISSION DREADNOUGHT.

The super-dreadnought Tennessee, or of the largest war vessels in the world, will be commissioned at the Navy Tard on the thieves and one of them went down. The other two immediately ceased firing, lifted their companion into the automobile, which was headed east, started the engine and were away before many of the scared.

The ship will have a commissioned at the down. The commissioned at the down. The other two immediately in the commissioned at the down. The other two immediately in the commissioned at the commis in Brooklyn on June 2, it was announced to-day. The ceremony will be brief. Governor A. H. Roberts, of Tennessee,

The ship will have a crew of 1,420 men. There are already \$00 of the crew in the Navy Yard. The others are at Navai Training Stations. Six hundred mative Tennesseeans have been recruited

MOVE TO WIPE OUT **BETTING AT GAMES**

ANOTHER WOMAN

IN MYSTERY OVER

(Continued From First Page.)

sign the will may have heard him

make statements of considerable value

"I have been informed that a signed

sition of the \$80,000 mentioned in the

Mr. Taylor had a photograph of

to be in the handwriting of Miss Le-

"This thing must be done to-day

Mr. Apfei, get a new will drawn to-

"I hope Mr. Apfel won't get stub-

Mr. Taylor said he was never able

The Auditore family. Mr. Taylo continued, insisted upon the perform ance of an autopsy upon the body.

YACHT ARRIVES TO

(Continued From First Page)

Asked if his wife, Emily, a small

ady with gray eyes and hair and a

pleasant smile, would sail with him,

"I have sailed 1,000 races in my time and she has been with me in 993

"She does not carry pavigation

PREPARE FOR RACE

Another paragraph read:

to a contestant

AUDITORE'S WILL

Major Leagues Will Employ that some of those who saw Auditore Detective Agencies to Suppress the Evil.

CHICAGO, May 21.—Drastic setion, agreement existed to the dispoto stamp out gambling on bassball games of both the American and Na- will." tional Leagues was decided upon here early to-day at a conference of four what he said was a lotter purporting baseball chieftsins.

According to an announcement by bonsky, presumably dictated by Audi-Ban Johnson, President of the Ameria tore and signed by him, which, the can League, who met with Garry attorney claimed, was sent to Joseph Herrmann, President of the Cincin- B. Phillips, Auditore's confidential nati Nationals; President Churles man of business. The letter, which Stoneham and Manager John McGraw Mr. Taylor declared Phillips received of the New York Nationals, it was the day before Auditore died, condecided to employ detective agencies tained this paragraph; in the campaign. Mr. Johnson said strenuous efforts would be made to without fail. If you can't agree with smother, the gambling svil. No action was taken at the con- day for the interest of the wife and

ference, Mr. Johnson said, relative to family." the cancellation by the Giants of the New York Americans' lease of the Pole Grounds in New York. The born about anything I put in here Giants announced a few days ago that as I want him to be paid for anythe lease had been cancelled, effective thing he has done for me." at the close of the season.

The decision to take drastic action to get a copy of Auditore's will nor to stamp ou gambling followed the charges filed in the United States dead. The erasure in the will, he can be stated as the charge of the part of the part of the care of the District Court in Cincinnati yester-day by the Chicago National League of that of Dr. Monne-Leaser. Baseball Club (The Cubs) that Lee Magee bet against his own team and endeavored to win these bets by intentional had playing. The charges were made in a petition to dismiss the damage suit brought by Magee. the damage suit brought by Magee.
This was the first time the exact

ature of the reasons which actuated the Chicago management in releasing Magee last winter was made public. The petition of the club states that

on Feb. 20 of this year it was learned from Magee, "that he had been guilty of dishonest ball playing," and "that is ability as a ball player having been impaired and destroyed," the club gave Magee written notice of is unconditional release.

Thomas would sail on the challenger The petition further recites, "preduring the races, but thought it quite rious to making the contract the probable. plaintiff was guilty of betting against the team of which he was a member and sought to win bets by intentional and sought to win bets by intentional bad playing to defeat the said team."

The club also alleges that "as a result Magee was an unit person to play baseball when he entered into the employ of the Chicago Club."

Magee, in his suit, asked for the amount of his saiary, \$4,500, and a possible chare in the World's Series receipts. He charged that his liveliheed as a buil player was destroyed. Capt. Burton said: of them. The public can draw its ownthrough the sudden abrogation of his questions, "but she's the best yachts-

Against Taxes.

clock this afternoon as a result of a

n protest against additional taxes be-

woman on the other side and knows more about yacht racing than any DRY DAY FOR PARIS. man I know,"

conclusiona.

"She's your adviser then?" he was Saloens to Be Closed in Strike PARIS. Mry 21.—Saloons throughout Paris will be closed from 4 until 6

asked. "Better make it my referee," he said with a grin. Capt. Burton declined to speculate

upon the chances the challenger has for lifting the cup. "I can tell a lot more about that

in protest against additional taxes being levied on cognac, rum and other
bevarages.

The General Federation of Labor decided to-day to call off the strikes it
had ordered in support of the rallwaymen's walkout. The decision for the
resumption of work was reached by a
and Sweden with ten minutes after the first race "Bobby" McLean, American toe skating champion, back from

and Sweden with \$51,000 won in meets abroad, wouldn't admit that he Anytum Attendants Found Guilty of been defeated as reported by the Cables. "It ended in an argument," was the

WORCESTER, Mass. May 21. Joseph R. Bassett of Waterbury, Conn., and Charles Wilson, attendants at the State liner were Mrs. O. H. P. Belmant and

Charles Wilson, attendants at the State Hospital in Westboro were found guilty to-day-way a jury on a charge of manslaughter in connection with the death of John M. Weeks, who died following an application of the "water cure" by the attendants, when he was submerged in a tub and strangled by the twisting of a towel around his throat, according to state's evidence.



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